



# National Stock Number (NSN) Process



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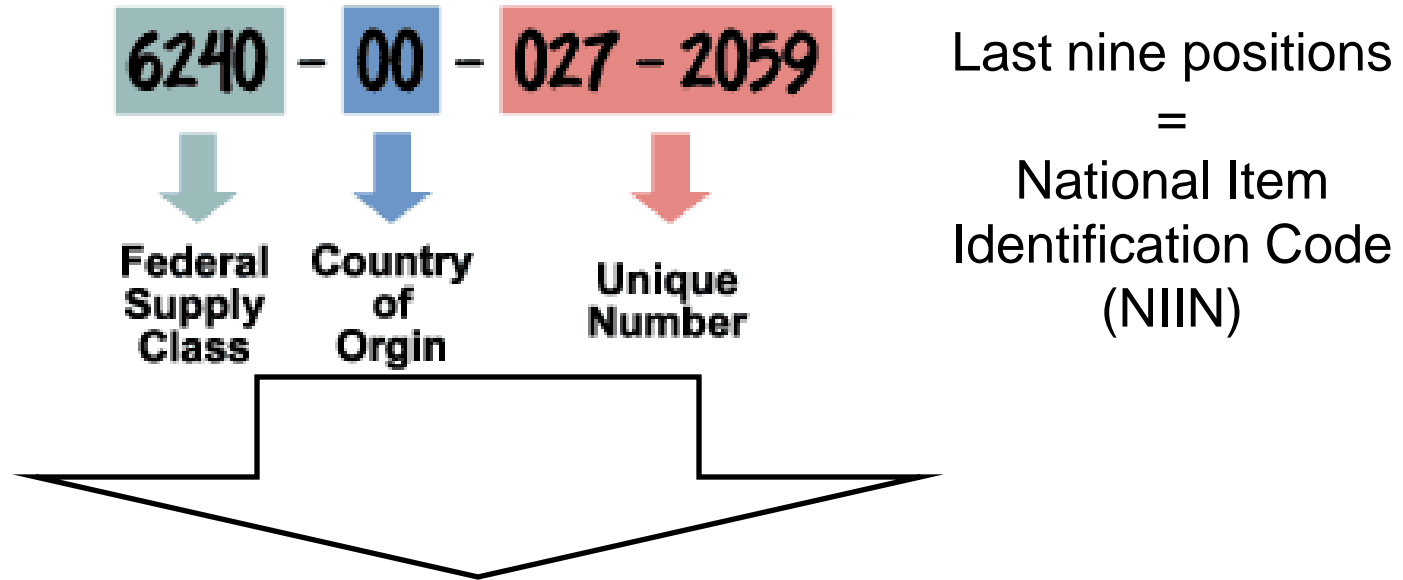
# National Stock Numbers (NSNs)



- Assigned to an item that is repeatedly bought, stocked, stored, issued, and used throughout the federal supply system. When an NSN is assigned to an item, data is assembled to describe the item. The item description includes information like price, item name, manufacturer's part number, physical and performance characteristics.



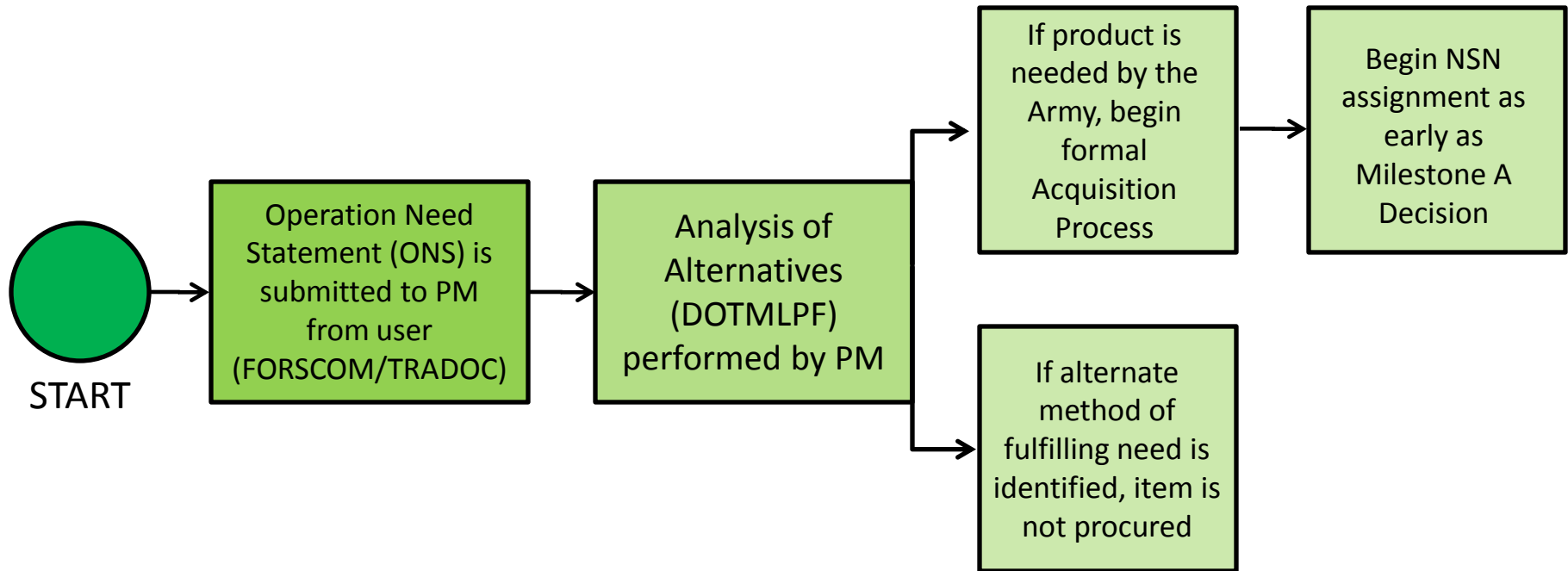
# National Stock Number Structure



- The NSN is a 13-digit numeric code
- The first four digits are known as the Federal Supply Class (FSC), and these numbers are used to group similar items
- The next two digits signify the country that assigned the NSN. For example, 00 and 01 are both used in the NSN to identify the United States
- The remaining seven digits are sequentially assigned to make each NSN unique



# Establishment of Initial Requirement Program of Record



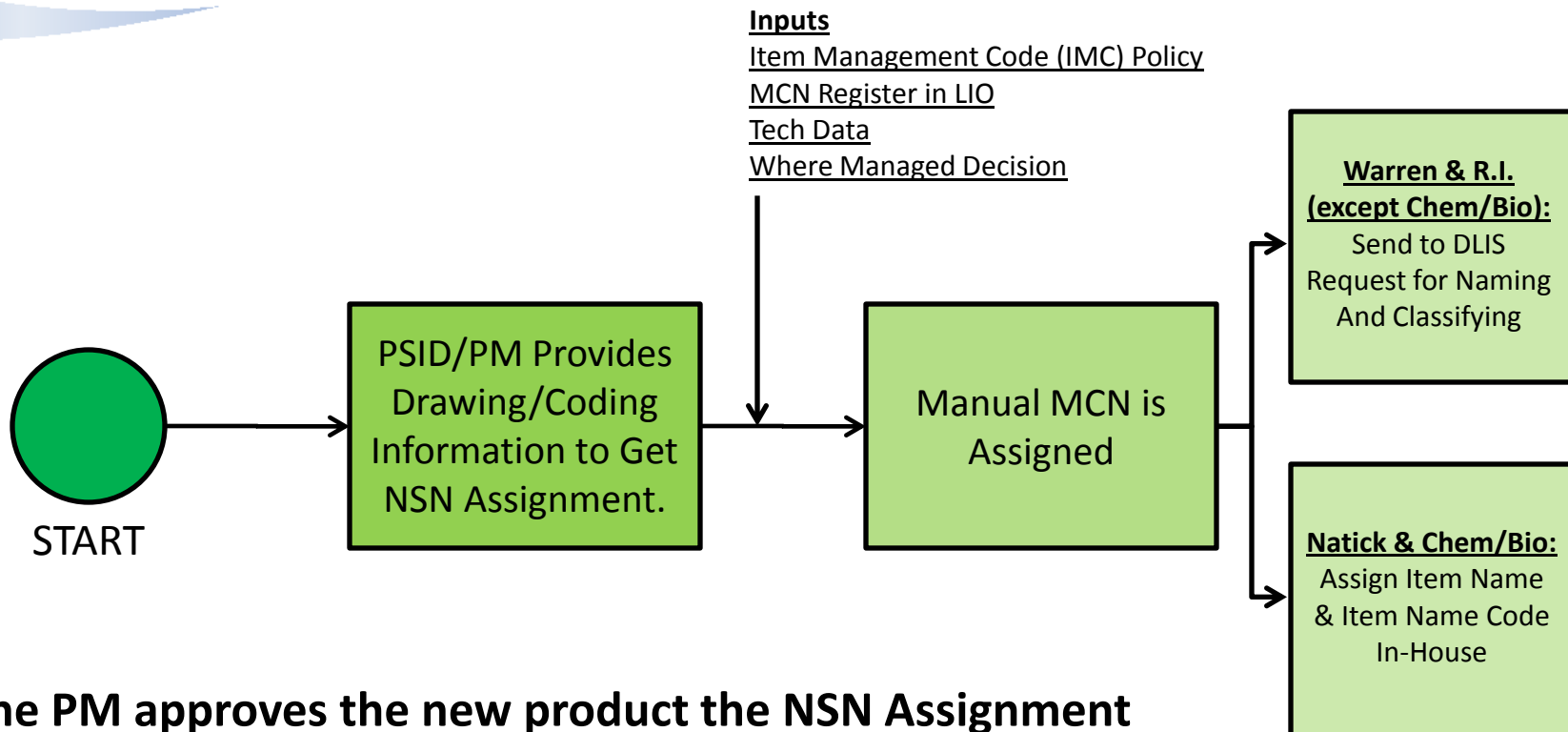
- FORSCOM – Forces Command
- TRADOC – Training and Doctrine Command
- DOTMLPF – Doctrine, Organization, Training, Materiel, Leadership, Personnel, & Facilities
- PM – Program Manager



# NSN Assignment Process



## Non-provisioned Item NSN Assignment Process



•After the PM approves the new product the NSN Assignment Process will begin